IN THE LOCAL FIELD.

BROOKLINE.

The magazine club has reorganized for Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Howe entertained a few friends Christmas day, 14 sitting down to the bountiful dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Howe also had a Christmas tree for their children.

Mr. Hemenway has decided to have a concert at the close of his singing school here, the concert to be followed by a supper. The concert will be free, and a small sum will be charged for supper. The date is Jan. 22.

EAST DOVER.

Coughs and colds are prevalent. Christmas exercises were held at the Baptist church Wednesday evening, both There were two trees

heavily londed with Christmas gifts. During four months George Bolster had been a great sufferer from heart diseas and a complication of troubles. Tuesday pneumonia developed and from then he grew rapidly worse and died Monday morning. Dec. 5. Mr. Bolster was born in Londonderry in 1850, son of David and Laura Bolster. He married Laura E. Briggs of Dover Nov. 1. 1855. Of this union four children were bern, three daughters and a son. One daughter died in infancy. Laura E. died eight years ago last May at the age of 27. The other daughter, Mrs. C. Lazelle, lives a near neighbor to the paternal home, and the son, Orrin C. lives at home. Mr. Bolster lived 45 years on the Briggs homestead, which was the home of his wife. Mr. Bolster was always ready to help those in trouble and to assist in sickness. He had been a member of the Methodist church nearly 25 years. It was partially through his efforts that the Methodist church here was built. The surviving members of his father for the surviving members of his father for the chest, lame back, and completely as to make it can be. Better now, with the way they work inc. All druggists, or we age on any number ordere States or receipt of 25c. each son or the chest, lame back, and completely as to make it can be. Better now, with the way they work inc. All druggists, or we age on any number ordere States or receipt of 25c. each son or the chest, lame back, and completely as to make it can be. Better now, with the way they work inc. All druggists, or we age on any number ordere States or receipt of 25c. each son, Orrin C. lives at home of his wife.

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WEST DOVER.

The mercury dropped to 16 degrees be-ow zero Wednesday morning. There will be another dance at W. L.

Upton's hall Jan. 10. Mrs. Mary Nido came here from Rowe Mass, to attend the New Year's dance at W. L. Upton's.

E. L. Burbee of Windham and Mr. Whitaker of Amherst were in town on business the first of the week. On account of the bad weather the dance at the Green Mountain lim was not very well attended. Only 22 tickets were very well attended. Only 22 tickets were sold, but those present had an enjoyable

DUMMERSTON.

Although it was zero weather and th wind blowing a gale from the northwest 5 persons were present at the Congre-gational church reunion and roll call or New Year's day. Dinner was served a loclock and then came the various re-ports of committees. The financial re-port showed that the church expenses o Rev. W. P. Jackson's salary for preaching was paid in full up to Jan 1, 1842, and the year closed without any indebtedness against the church except what may be needed to balance the new furnace account, which the trustees are confident will be readily obtained when the time arrives to settle with the contractor for the furnace. The subscription list for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1901, is the largest that has been obtained for nearly 25 years. The average attendance at church for several years past has been at church for several years past has bee about 50. During the last six months under the pastorate of Mr. Jackson the average attendance has been 77. The Christian Endeavor society has be n very

the in its work and prosper i well innual in 1961 and kas a total of 25 to this young people's society belongs the credit of sustaining all the church meetings, including the Sunday services, as the greater part of six months while or the greater part of six months, while

e church was without a pastor the first of the year. The siris circle gave a Table and encouraging account of me work during the year, and reported or. \$25 was received at their last an male Dec. 29. An important and interesting part of the religious ser et has been the music and the singing pre by way of encouragement. 75 new victs." were bought a few months ago secil in the service of song. The church ure betship at the present time is 6: ent 46, non-resident 18.

HALIFAX.

snet re will be preaching at the Baptist Tueth next Sunday at the usual hour. after annual meeting of the Union so-vent will be held at the church next call day at 2 p. m. The sociable will be held with Mrs. D

E. Tucker Friday, Jan. 10. It will be a poverty social and all are expected to dress accordingly. The invitation to at tend is general.

HOUGHTONVILLE.

Frank Cadoret and family are living i the house vacated by Charles Abbott A. D. Corbett went to Ashby, Mass. Dec. 20 to spend the holidays with rela-

Our school teacher, Mr. Willis, spent the Christmas vacation with his parents

Nineteen partook of Christmas dinner at Charles Stone's, among those from out of town being Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stone of Hanover, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. George Parmenter of Greenfield Mass.

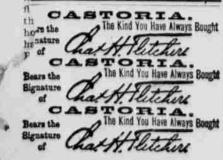
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HE FEARED HE HAD LOST

When Wu Ting Fang, the famous Chinese Minister to Washington, irritable and somewhat forgetful from a severe cold, missed one day from the front of his cap the immense diamond he always wears there, he was dreadfully frightened. A friend pointed out that the statesman had inadvertently donned his turban wrong side before, and that the diamond was safe in the rear. Had Wu Ting Fang been wearing a Benson's Porous Plaster on his chest or back to cure his cold, he never would have doubted its location. He would have felt it doing its work,—warming and making flexible the torpid muscles, extracting the pain and soreness, promoting the free circulation of the blood, stimulating the skin and lungs to proper action, and so dissolving and banishing the malady. Thus we perceive, beloved friends, that

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GUILFORD CENTRE.

Necrology for 1901. Mrs. Mary E. Morse S. Grace Julia Holden, 12. Plorence J. Crouch, 16. Mrs. Orilla Calhoun, Nov. 28, Marshall Whipple, Nov. 30, Mrs. Hertha E. Thompson, 7, William Starkey, 25, Frank E. Wheelock. Dec. 26, Flora Akley,

Creon Miner is on the sick list. Mrs. Roy Haynes of Springfield, Mass. as been visiting at L. D. Haynes's. The next regular meeting of the Broad Brook Grange will be held Wednesday yening, Jan 8, when the Installation of

fficers will take place. The annual business meeting of the Universalist church and society will be held in the ladies' rooms Saturday evening. Jan. 4, at 7c All are cordially in-

Miss Buckman's dancing class, watched the old year out and the new year in at Grange hall. The fiext dancing lesson will be given Friday evening, Jan. 19

GUILFORD.

Mrs. J. Augustus Barber of Louisville Ky., is visiting at J. Flagg's this week. Miss Minuse Prescott and friend, Miss Carver, of Boston, came last week for a visit at George P. Miller's.

It is rumored that George E. Houghton will resign as letter carrier in this town, and that his place will be taken by Will

GREEN RIVER.

D. M. Thompson spent Christmas with his son and daughter in Riverside, Mass. The family of D. G. Baker held a New Year's reunion on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Richmond

Drury Pratt and daughter of East-Albert Larrabee was away on his Christmas vacation last week and Mr. Worden of West Halifax carried the mail

Miss Lenn Reed went Thursday to id for a three weeks stay. Mar

The heavy rain of Sunday and Monday did no damage here. The ice did not go out of the mill pond, and people are making rendy to fill their ice houses.

H. Whitney Shaw spent Sunday with Louise Adams of New York is visiting Charles Ames has returned from a visit

n Springfield Ray Dairymple has been sent to the iospital in Greenfield. The donation at Rev. Mr. Shaw's was well attended and all had an enjoyable

WEST WARDSBORO.

W. M. Brown is at home for a few days. Mrs. Symonds and daughter, Helen, are at W. J. Davidson's for a short time. Christmas trees were enjoyed Tuesday night at W. R. Lyman's, Wednesday at W. J. Davidson's.

Students home for the holidays: Ethe Bearss and Sadle Davidson from North-field, Ethel Eddy from Townshend and Hermon Eddy from Burlington.

WARDSBORO.

Dr. Cole is away on a pleasure trip of a Carrie Martin is working for Mrs. A. M. Farnum.

Nellie Wilbur, who has been ill, is our

Mrs. Laura Stowell of Springfield. Mass. is a guest of Mrs. Mary Eddy. Frank Wood has moved his goods to famalca, where his wife went some weeks

W. W. Kidder left Tuesday to spend New Year's with friends in Springfield. and Worcester, Mass.

Cornelius Whitman, who lived in the Whitman house has moved into the up-stairs tenement of the old store building, recently occupied by Frank Wood and owned by L. M. Newell.

SOUTH WINDHAM.

A. A. Goodell shut down his mill for the winter a few days ago. The output was one million feet. R. Piggott has bought an interest in a separator factory in Winehester, Mass. The family went there Friday.

E. L. Burbee, administrator of the W H. H. Burbee estate, has sold the real estate to H. M. Whitaker of Amherst, Mass., and he has also sold his own teams and a part of his real estate in Doyer to Mr. Whitaker. Mr. Whitaker.

The death of Miss Julia Fountain, who died under suspicious circumstances at Montgomery Centre Dec. 10, is being in-vestigated by the authorities. An inquest was held upon the theory that an abor-tion had been committed. The stomach id other parts of the body were taker to the state laboratory at Burlington for analysis. It is suspected that some strong drug was administered to the girl.

The citizens of Colchester have voted to exempt the Winooski woolen mills from taxation five years. It is expected that the American Woolen company will install 300 new looms at once. The Colchester mills, operated heretofore as cot-ton mills, will be turned into a splining, carding and woolen department. It is expected that 12% hands will be employed as soon as the necessary changes are made.

NEWFANE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gront of Stratton B. Higgins is confined to the house y increasing feebleness.

Miss Edith Barrett of Brattleboro has spent the week with Mrs. N. Pratt. A concert for the last week in January has been announced by the singing school

School in the village and surrounding listricts resumed session on Monday after week's vacation.

Auction bills are out for the sale personal property, with a few exceptions, at the late residence of Clark Skinner, at 0 o'clock on Wednesday, Jan. 8.

The village sidewalks plowed out by W. P. Earnes's team, are in uncommonly straight lines this winter, besides retaining the extra width of last year. Friends of Mrs. Fanny Higgins Baker of Colorado Springs, Col., a sister of S. B. Higgins of this place, regret to learn at she is in a precarious condition from

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wright were the replents Christmas, in a very pleasant eremony by their children, respectively gold watch and chain and an ova-

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Howe, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wright and A. T. Edwards and family*partook of a bountiful Christ-mas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene

Sunday, although mild, was one of the worst days of the old year for traveling. Sleet and rain followed a snowy night and few were the persons who centured out. About a dozen composed the morning audience at the Congregational church.

Announcement has been received of the marriage Christmas day in Lawrence, Kansas, of Frank Earl Marcy and Miss May Scott Finney Mr. Marcy is a Newfane boy and a graduate of Lawrence University. He has an excellent position as chemist in the Anaconda mines in Montana. He is a son of Mrs. Rodney Marcy, now of Brattleboro.

George Hicks from Chicago is spending the week with his cousin, D. S. Ballou, Mr. Hicks went out from Hallfax to the West when he was about is and enlisted in a Chicago regiment. He had an experience of one year in Andersonville and other robel prisons. His place of busi-ness narrowly escaped the great fire of Chicago, it is sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Horton Brown, formerly of Jacksonville suffered loss by that fire.

Birchard post, G. A. R., has elected these officers for the following year Commander, W. H. Miles; scalor vice

was ordered door A to China, but the case was arreary A to China, but the case was appealed. The lad's brother is a latitude. For Edgeosmb, water committee A B. Greenwedt auditor, Prof. Edgeosmb, water committee for the parsonness. H. W. Twitchell; be lee in the Yukon. His letter of Oct. 19, from Rampart City, recently received says; "A man with a small beat, the river being still open, brought your letters of Sept. Sand Ia. It was three mails in one, and my share was ten betters. m's supply of wood. A fire had reare as large as that in your Newfane lelly mill, so you car, see what four dogs and five men can do. It was a hard job and we are setting it up as fast as possile hoping to begin sinking this week. We shall have the best outfit in camp and xpect to handle lots of dirt and some old with it. We eat in one of our cabi board. The new strike on Gien Guich is showing up better than I expected. We have a nice team and four dogs are when good sleighing comes will be able t

SOUTH NEWFANE.

C. S. Bickford, who came here to attend the funeral of his brother, returned to his home in Newton Centre, Mass., last

in Sunday school met with Mrs. Stratton on Christmas evening and had a Christ-mas tree. It was a very pleasant affair, and all the children were rememorred by Santa Claus. Mrs. Samuel Morse's class to the number of 50 met at her home on Thursday afternoon. The house was very prettily trimmed with ever-green. The most interesting part of the program was the appearance of Santa, who distributed presents to the children. not forgetting to give the teacher an oak

Our community was saddened again Wednesday, when Mrs. Ellis Bruce passed away. Mrs. Bruce was born in Mariboro South Branch Feb. II, 1842, the oldest daughter of Alvin and Hannah Ware Bruce. She was married to W. E. Bruce in 1865, and had always lived in Mariboro. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Arthur of Chester and Leon of Brattleboro, also by two brothers, George A. Bruce of South Charlestown, N. H., and James P. Bruce of Mariboro, and two sisters. Lovica W. Bruce and Mrs Augusta H. Stanley, both of Mariboro, Mrs. Bruce was a devoted wife and af-fectionate mother, and had long been a faithful and consistent more of the faithful and consistent member of the Baptist church in this place. Her loss will be felt keenly in her family, the church and the community. The funeral will be held from the house today, Fri-

Kaskaskia, Ill., founded 216 years ago on the banks of the Mississippi by the on the banks of the Mississippl by the explorer. La Salle, is to pass from the map and post-office directory Jan. 1 and become a nameless point on a free delivery route. It was the first capital of illinois, and with a population of over 12.000 in 1810 it was one of the largest places in the West. The convention which framed the first constitution of illinois sat there.

Illinois sat there. Some states take excellent care of their historical societies. The State Historical Society of Wisconsin receives an annual appropriation of \$20,000. Charles Kendall Adams. (born in Derby, Vt.,) who has been for the last seven years president of the University of Wisconsin, being oblig-ed by ill health to resign his office, he and his wife have united in giving to the mu-seum of the historical society their pic-tures, marbles, bronzes, and other articles, the market value of which has been estimated at \$60,000.—[Burlington Free

TOWNSHEND.

Alice Randall of Athol is at home for a C. H. Evans was on the sick list last

Arthur Boutelle has returned to Med-J. L. Howard of Malden, Mass., was in

Mrs. Margaret Watson has returned from New Haven, Conn. Mrs. Earl Underwood of Gardner, Mass., is visiting her parents.

Elwin Eddy has been having a pairs made at his mill recently. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cummings were guests of Miss Fletcher last week.

Royal Sanderson reports the fall of rain and snow for December: Rain 1% Inch; snow 2 11-12 feet. There was a family gathering on Christ-mas day at A. A. Mason's when 16 persons partook of dinner.

Arthur Boutelle, a recent graduate of Turts College, is assistant teacher in the High school at Medford, Mass. Mrs. Celia Cutler is expecting, on her return from Binghamton, N. Y., to occupy the tenement in Mrs. Wilson's house.

Miss Bertha Gage has completed three terms of school in district No. 3, where she has taught successfully, and gone to her home in Fitchburg, Mass. mas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene
Howe in Brookline.

Miss Florence From of Montevideo,
Minn, a guest for two weeks with old
friends of her family in this and adjoining towns, will return to Wells College.
Aurora, N. Y., next week.

The grand jury of Addison county
which reported last week, did not bring
an indictment against 'Nelson Jones, the
young man who had retained Frank L.
Fish of Vergonnes as his counsel.

The Chinamen of the jail house though
in very heat uppears.

The Chinamen of the jail house though in very heat apparel seem not to follow the ways of a strange nation in donning very warm garments for winter, especially in footgear composed mostly of their customary sandals.

Alies recent foot the first and the Brattleboro with her sister, Mrs. Burchard, and a party of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Will Franklind footgear composed mostly of their customary sandals.

Christmas exercises passed off verpleasantly at the Congregational church on Tucsday evening, the 24th. "The Re-volt of Santa Claus" was well carried out. Mr. Fletcher taking the part of Santa Claus, while the children dressed in cos-tumes representing the different countries did themselves credit. Much praise is due the committee who had much to centend with in carrying out their plans, as they had to be changed on account of sickness A very delightful evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Dale on Friday, the 27th, it being the annual dyster supper of West River Grange. Nearly 46 of the Grangers and their families beside invited gueste, sat down to a bountife, sup-per, after which a very pleasant hour was spent with music and games and sor. A very enjoyable part was the 'The Sword of Bunker Hill.' by B. Franklin, which was enjoyed

Arthur Bartelle, Medford, Mass; Georg-Arthur Burkele Medford Mass; George ght: Houghton Brooklyn: Arthur Follett, stion Burkele N. V.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry and Adnes Brattleboro; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford and Mrs. John Nichols and Clifford at Bothrook. Brattleboro; Mrs. Davidson, Newfane; Carrie Mason, Bellows Falls; Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Davidson,

C. Q. Stebbins; secretary. Fred Watson-collector, A. A. Mason, prudential com-mittee, Prof. Edgecomb, F. H. Willard. C. Q. Stebbins; treasurer, Jonas Alien-

ents on the trees and many hearts were ghaldened, not only among the children, but the older ones as well. A lounge was presented to Mr and Mrs. Royal. The the occasion afforded them.

A happy New Year to all. Miss Alice Stark is at home from Brat

George Aiken has been seriously ill sev-Mrs. E. G. Pierce has been seriously ill Frank Howard has been ill several days

A. W. Biles and family of Hiesdale ave spent several days at A. S. Works's, The dance last Saturday evening passed off pleasantly, all reporting a good

Jacksonville, spent the holidays in Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Dickinson

Brattleboro are visiting at C. R. Ams-It is expected that there will be preach ng at the Congregational church next

Mrs. Nettie Cassin of Hanover, N. H. visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs Wilmont Boynton of Boston, son of William Boynton, is visiting his uncle

M. L. Boynton. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Howard have left or a visit of several weeks in New Lon-ion, Conn., and other places. Miss Mamie Howe, who spent Christ

ias with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Daniel Sherwin, has returned to her home in Westfield, Mass. Cards have been received announcing the marriage in Hampton, N. H., Dec. 25 of Nathan La Forest Newman, son of Mrs. L. B. Newman of Jamaica, and Miss

Grace Morgan. The W. C. T. E. met Wednesday with Mrs. W. L. Barnes, who took charge of the program. The subject was the na-tional convention at Fort Worth. Interesting incidents were related and ab-stracts were given of addresses. There was a good attendance. Light refreshments were served.

The annual meeting of the Congrega-tional society was held at the church Wednesday evening. Rev. W. A. White was chosen moderator. The reports of the committee and treasurer were given. The following officers were elected: Clerk and treasurer, J. C. Robinson; com-mittee, J. C. Robinson, J. A. Muzzy, and mittee, J. C. Robinson, J. A. Muzzy, and Dr. F. C. Brigham; solicitors, Mrs. J. A. Muzzy and Mrs. F. C. Brigham; collector, Muzzy and Mrs. F. C. Brigham; collector, Mrs. M. O. Muzzy; auditor, George M. Doane; ushers, who will pass the collec-tion plates, George Alken and John S. Robinson, each usher to choose his

Whatever the faith cure may be cape whatever the faith cure may be capa-ble of accomplishing, it doesn't go with smallpox. The death of a Jersey City child who was subjected to the faith treatment for this sickness has demon-strated this fact. It is altogether merci-ful that the public authorities have come to the reserve of the other six whiteto the rescue of the other six children of the family, who have now come down with the disease contracted from the vic-tim of the faith treatment.—[Boston Herald.

WILLIAMSVILLE.

Harry Stedman visited relatives in Wor George Hescock spent Sunday with friends at Orange, Mass. Miss Minnie Hescock gave a party to number of her young friends Wednes-

Porter Thayer has returned to Mount Hermon and Robert White to Goddard Seminary for the winter term.

Miss Vers Mundell, now of Westmore-land, N. H., spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mundell. The Aunt Abby Medicine company is giving entertainments at village hall this week, and selling remedies to the af-

Rev. W. M. Newton of Montpeller, presiding eider, will preach at the Metho-dist church next Sunday evening. The communion service will be observed.

George B. Williams, administrator, has old the Plimpton Morse farm of 200 acre to Mrs. Oliver P. Morse and others, for about \$1200. This is one of the best o our hill farms, but will probably be used

John W. Williams, proprietor of the local gristmill, made a business trip to Greenfield this week. Mr. Williams re-ceives a good many carboads of grain during a year and suffers great inconventhree weeks awaiting transfer. Martin A. Balley of Brattleboro has

eing \$1000. Mr. Wheeler makes the pe

ng was heated for a meeting Thursda nace and woodwork apparently be-heated sufficiently to cause the fire

WHITINGHAM.

C. S. Chase returned from Bennington Florence Pike was at home from Wil-nington for the holidays. Robert M. Chase went to Mount Her-non Tuesday to attend school there.

Mrs. Mary Reed was very ill with isthma last week, but is a little better at Mrs. Bessle Allbee returned to Will-amsville and Mr. and Mrs. Adia Wheeler to Athol Monday.

Watch night services were held at the hurch Tuesday evening and a chicken-de supper was served Thursday evening. Merton Wheeler cannot bear his weight

The old neighbors and friends, through Mrs. Larissa Brown, sent Mrs. Julia if Hicks a Christmas box. Her beauth is

The Bastlet church was filled to nve solo by Elliott Davis; duet, "Star in th East, by Mr. Davis and his mother; tric by Mrs. George Wheeler, Mamie Staffor and Florence Plumb; solo, by Deacon B and white fleur-de-lis. It was a comple surprise and she could only respond thank you." Mrs. R. A. Nichols receiv a beautiful Wilton carpet from her class and Rev. R. A. Nichols a purse of mons from a few of his many friends.

Senator Tim Sullivan fed 500 hungry men in New York Christman day and permitted no speeches. He believed that they "needed something substantial with out an addition of wind." It took 16s turkeys, 200 chickens, 500 ducks and other things. The liquid refreshment were composed of 2000 gallons of coffe and 150 kegs of beer.

The Brooklyn Eagle says that during this year \$6,500,000 of property has been stolen, \$1,651,510 has been paid by bank and stores for special protection, \$4,524, 000 has been paid for private watchmer and detectives, and the city has pale \$11.508.342 for its police force. This make a total of nearly \$25,000,000. Crime has in creased in ten years. In that time bur glary has increased fill per cent, while th beries, 3472 harcenies and 1515 burglaries during the past year. This exhibit al-most justifies the pessimistic account of New York that appeared in the London Times two months ago.

died from heart disease in an elevate-train at Chicago the evening of Dec. 2. The body was brought to Springfield fo-burial. She was the mother of Russe W. Porter, a member of the Zeigler-Por north pole.

HE FOUND IT. Partly because of Good Fortune and Partly because He was Watching and Searching.

When Columbus set sail in search of a new continent the wise men of his tin discovered America. You may say that was an accident. Yes, but it was the kind of accident that happens only to men who are looking for it. During a long professfonal practice Dr. David Kennedy, of Kingston, N. Y., was continually watching out for a better medicine than any thus fa known for certain complaints. He could not imagine when or how he should find it; perhaps (more likely indeed) he should never find it at all. So he thought, But the right idea came to him finally and the result was the preparation called Calcura Solvent. The name means a solvent, or dissolver, of stone, or chalk deposits, in the kidneys or bladder; a remedy for the cure of gravel, and of diseases caused by various toxic of poisonous substances or acids in the blood or glands. Experiment showed that Calcura Solvent would cure red or white gravel without pain or danger to the patient, and expel from the system the uric acid which causes gout and rheumatism. If it did no more Dr. Kennedy's discovery would stand as one of the most useful ones in the history of medicine, but it is equally effective in complaints of the digestive organs. It is a medicine for physicians and a medicine for the people. Be sure about the name-Cal-cura Solvent, Dr. Kennedy's new medicine.

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"Vermont" for the Navy-Sketch of Senator Dillingham.

These headlines indicate some of the features of the New Year's number of The Vermonter. Your attention is further requested to an inspection of the full table of contents in the January issue of this popular state Magazine, which gained 2000 in circulation in 1901, and begins the year 1992 with an edi-

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Portrait. Vermont's Population in the Census -By State Supervisor W. B. Gates. Portrait. Secret History of St. Albans Raid-

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